

STANDARD INSTALLATION
TOPIC EXCHANGE SERVICE



RELOCATION INFORMATION FOR

NCBC Gulfport
Mississippi

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Installation

Installation Overview

For more information on this subject:

For more information on NCBC Gulfport:

<http://www.noscgulfport.com>

PROGRAMS AND SUPPORT, FLEET AND
FAMILY SUPPORT CENTER, 5301 SNEAD ST,
GULFPORT, MS 39501

Location..... : I-10 to exit 34A to HWY
49 south to HWY 90 turn right on HWY 90. Go to
the third traffic light (Broad Ave) turn right. Broad
Ave. dead ends at the main gate. The FSC is located
in Bldg.30

Major Commands..... : 20TH NCR, NMCB
1, 7, 74, 133 NAVAL RESERVE CENTER, NAVAL
CONSTRUCTION TRAINING CENTER.

Mission..... : Homeport for 4
Construction Battalions, and the training site for
Atlantic Fleet Seabees.

Population assigned-served..... : 4230
Active Duty Officer..... : 199
Active Duty Enlisted..... : 4200
Retirees..... : 6400
Civilian Employees..... : 780

Telephone Access..... : (228)871-2555

History

The Naval Construction Battalion Center was first established as a Advanced Base Depot on June 2, 1942 in Gulfport. The first Seabees were civilian construction workers who enlisted early in World War II to continue building for the Navy in the Pacific Theater and in Europe.

The mission of the Center changed in March 1944 from a receiving organization to a U.S. Naval Training Center, and provided for training for base engineering, diesel, radioman, quartermaster and electrician's ratings.

Realignments then created a single command of the Naval Training Center and the Advanced Base Depot. The depot became the U.S. Naval Storehouse in 1945 and the training center was decommissioned in 1946. In 1948 the station became custodian of national stockpile materials.

Today, the Center functions as a support for operating units of the Naval Construction Force. Specifically, it supports Naval Mobile Construction Battalions ONE, SEVEN, SEVENTY-FOUR, and ONE THIRTY-THREE, 22nd SRGB the Naval Construction Training Center, and other smaller tenant activities. The mission today is to prepare for and support all facets of the mobilization of construction forces, including reserve units. The Center is also responsible for preservation and storage of war reserves including construction equipment and materials.

Must Know Items

Safety/Security Precautions: Speed limited on base is 25 MPH unless other wise posted. Formations have right of way at all times. All vehicles entering the base must be registered and have proof of insurance.

Must Know Items

--Installation--	
Site Name	NCBC Gulfport
Last Updated	June 17, 2003
State/Territory	Mississippi
County	Harrison
ZIP Code	39501
Service	USN
Host Command	
Physical Size	1098
--Personnel--	
FSC/ACS Director	MARGARET SCURFIELD
Relocation Assistance Manager	JAKE GRANT
Relocation Assistance Specialist	
--Phones--	
DSN Country Code	
DSN Number	868-3000
Commercial Country Code	
Commercial Area Code	228
Commercial Number	-871-3000
FAX DSN Country Code	
FAX DSN Number	868-2384
FAX Commercial Country Code	
FAX Commercial Area Code	228
FAX Commercial Number	-871-2384
--Official Mailing Address--	
Street Line 1	Commanding Officer
Street Line 2	Attn: Code 13 5200 CBC 2nd street
City	Gulfport
State/Territory	MS
ZIP Code	39501-5001
--Deliverable Address--	
Street Line 1	Fleet and Family Support Center
Street Line 2	Attn: Code 13, 5301 Snead ST.
City	Gulfport
State/Territory	MS
ZIP Code	39501-5001
E-Mail	JGRANT@CBCGULFPORT.NAVY.MIL

Geographically Separated or Satellite Locations

None

Nearby Installations (Listed Separately in SITES)

<i>State/Country</i>	<i>Site Name</i>	<i>Service</i>	<i>Distance</i>
Mississippi	Keesler AFB	USAF	12 miles
Mississippi	NS Pascagoula	USN	45 miles

Regulations

Traffic

Traffic on base and to and from base is not a problem. Peak Traffic Hours: 0545 - 0830 1100 - 1300 1430 - 1600

Vehicle Checks - At random determined by Commanding Officer.

Accidents - All on base accidents must be reported to base security at 871-2113

Criminal Offenses

Major crime offense are rare.

Crime Stopper

CBC CRIME HOTLINE 871-2111 if calling from off base phone systems on base * 2111 *

Restricted Areas

ARE HIGHLY VISIBLE: Off limits areas, WARE HOUSES, BUNKERS, ARMORY, and NCTC DRIVING SITE.

Photography

For information on PHOTOGRAPHY of the installation contact Photography Office at (228) 871-2389.

Pass and ID POC..... : Security
Location..... : Main Gate / Broad Ave
Telephone..... : (228)871-2230
Hours..... : 24 hours Mon-Sun
Comments..... :

must have proof of insurance and current registration to get on base.

Drivers License (State) POC..... :
County Clerk Location..... : 4008 8TH
ST/GULFPORT Telephone..... : (228)864-
1317 Hours..... : 0800-1600 Mon-Fri
Comments..... :

not required by member or spouse if hold valid license from state of legal residence.

Vehicle Registration (State) POC..... :
County Clerk Location..... : 1801 23RD
AVE Telephone..... : (228)865-4040
Hours..... : 0800-1700 Mon-Fri
Comments..... :

If not legal resident of MS. may get significant reduced price, must have exemption form from base legal office, Bldg. 30.

Fishing License (State) POC..... :
Bureau of Marine Resources Location..... :
152 Gateway Dr. Biloxi, MS 39531

Telephone..... : (228)385-5860
Comments..... :

All water north of I10 requires a Freshwater License. All water south of I10 requires a Saltwater License. You may purchase License at the Base Community Center: Freshwater * \$28.00, Saltwater *\$28.00. As of 1 July 93, anyone over 16 years of age needs a fishing License. Persons 65 years and over and 100% Disabilities are exempt, this applies only to MS. residents.

Boat License (State) POC..... : Gulfport
County Courthouse Location..... : 1801
23RD Ave Gulfport, MS 39530

Telephone..... : (228)865-4040
Hours..... : 0800-1700 Mon-Fri
Comments..... :

Boat registration is worked through Jackson, MS. You can obtain necessary forms through the TAX Office at location listed above.

Hunting License (State) POC..... :
Bureau of Marine Resources Location..... :
730 Washington Biloxi, MS 39531

Telephone..... : (228)385-5860
Comments..... :

Fishing and Hunting License can be obtained at the base Community Center.

Commonly Referenced Numbers

STATE of MISSISSIPPI GULF COAST AREA
CODE IS 228. DSN IS 868

Commonly Referenced Numbers

<i>Name</i>	<i>Commercial</i>	<i>DSN</i>
All Hands Club (Stingers)	(228) 871-2330/2396	
Barber Shop	(228) 863-2350	
Beauty Shop	(228) 863-4842	
Billeting	(228) 871-2505	
CBC Officer of the Day	(228) 871-2555	
Chaplain	(228) 871-2454	
Civilian Personnel Office	(228) 871-2422	
Commissary	(228) 871-2039	
Convenience Store	(228) 863-4506	
Credit Union	(228) 864-4304	
DV Quarters	(228) 871-2505	
Employment Hotline	(228) 871-2337	
Exchange	(228) 864-1514	
Family Advocacy Rep	(228) 871-2581	
Fleet and Family Support Center	(228) 871-2581	-
Fleet and Family Support Programs	(228) 871-2581/3000	-
Hancock Bank	(228) 868-4787	
Hospital	(228) 871-2806	
Household Goods Office	(228) 871-3000	
Housing Office	(228) 871-2586	
Legal Office	(228) 871-2620	
MWR	(228) 871-2538	
NCBC Commanding Officer	(228) 871-2201	
NCBC Quarter Deck	(228) 871-2555	
Navy College Learning Center	(228) 871-2785	-
PSD Gulfport	(228) 871-2757	
Red Cross	(228) 871-2483	
Security	(228) 871-2631	
Transportation Mgt	(228) 871-2305	
Travel Office	(228) 871-9219	

Major Unit Listing

<i>Unit</i>	<i>Command</i>	<i>Point of Contact</i>	<i>Commercial</i>	<i>DSN</i>	<i>Fax</i>
22nd Naval Construction Regiment	NCBC	Administrative Office	(228) 871-2941/2064	868-2941	(228) 871-2879
Naval Construction Training Center		Quarterdeck	(228) 871-2527	868-2527	
Naval Mobile Construction Battalion 1		Quarterdeck	(228) 871-2612	868-2612	
Naval Mobile Construction Battalion 133		Battalion Liason	(228) 871-3000	868-3000	
Naval Mobile Construction Battalion 7		Battalion Liason	(228) 871-3000	868-3000	
Naval Mobile Construction Battalion 74		Quarterdeck	(228) 871-2183	868-2183	
Naval Reserve Center		Quarterdeck	(228) 871-3002/3005	868-3002	(228) 871-3006

Transportation

On-base transportation:

No on base Taxi or Shuttle service provided.

Name: SATO Office
POC: Customer Service Representative
Address: BLDG 118/Marvin Shields Blvd
Phone: (228) 864-9219
Comments: Hours..... : 0700-1530 Mon-Fri

Name: Exchange
Phone: (228) 864-1514
Comments: Hours..... : 0900-1800 Mon-Fri, Sat 0900-1700 1100-1500 Sunday

Name: Home Center
Phone: (228) 871-2245
Comments: Hours..... : 0900-1800 Mon-Fri, Sat 0900-1700 1100-1500 Sunday

Commissary and Exchange Operations

Name: Commissary
Phone: (228) 871-2039/2040
Comments: Hours..... : 0900-2000/Tue-Fri 0900-1700-Saturday closed Sun & Mon

Name: Dry Cleaner
Phone: (228) 863-5078
Comments: Hours..... : 0900-1700 Mon-Fri, Sat 0900-1300

Name: Mini-Mart
Phone: (228) 863-4506
Comments: Hours..... : 0600-2000 Mon-Fri, Sat/0800-1800 Sun/1000-1800 Service station has mechanic for minor repairs and service. Car service available from 0730-1530 Mon-Fri.

Name: Service Station
Phone: (228) 864-5527
Comments: Hours..... : 0700-2000 Mon-Fri, 0900-1700 Sat 1000-1500 Sun

Local Community

Time Zone Chart

Local time zone..... : CENTRAL

Time difference from this zone Eastern.....
: + ONE HOUR Mountain..... : - ONE HOUR Pacific..... : - TWO HOURS Greenwich (UK)..... : + SIX HOURS Central European (Germany)... : + SEVEN HOURS East Asia (Japan)..... : + FIFTEEN HOURS

Time Zone Chart

<i>Location</i>	<i>Adjustment for GMT</i>
Pacific	-8
Mountain	-7
Central	-6
Eastern	-5
Greenwich (United Kingdom)	0
Central European (Germany)	1
East Asia (Japan)	9

Climate

Climate..... :

CBC enjoys mild winters and hot humid summers. January is usually the coldest month of the year with an average temperature of 58 degrees during the day and 38 degrees during the early morning hours. July and August are the hottest months of the year. The daytime temperatures range from 85 to 100degrees and early morning temperatures range from 75 to

80degrees. A daily humidity of 75 percent with a breeze bringing afternoon thunderstorms. The breeze can bring some relief to those hot and humid days. The official hurricane season is 1 June through 30 November.

Temperature Range..... : 85 to 100 degrees in the summer and 38 to 58 in the winter.

Annual precipitation..... : 64 inches

Climate

<i>Month</i>	<i>High</i>	<i>Low</i>	<i>Humidity</i>	<i>Precipitation</i>
January	60	40	80.3	5.04
February	65	40	84.4	4.88
March	73	50	83.6	6.15
April	77	55	80.4	4.71
May	82	60	81.0	4.51
June	90	70	81.6	5.30
July	90	70	82.6	6.85
August	93	73	83.0	6.45
September	77	55	82.1	6.33
October	73	50	80.0	2.52
November	65	40	81.3	3.96
December	65	40	80.3	4.85

Events Calendar

Mississippi Gulf Coast Blues Festival
 Location..... : Coast Coliseum
 Telephone..... : 388-8010
 Date(s)..... : month of September
 Comments..... : The festival is an annual event.

Cultural Attractions

Name: Mississippi Beach Attraction Association
Address: P O Box 6128
City: Gulfport, MS
Phone: (228) 896-6699
Proximity to site: 3 Miles
Comments: Association advertises upcoming attractions for the Mississippi GulfCoast area.

Recreation Opportunities

Name: Mississippi Coast Recreation
Address: 4010 West Beach
City: Gulfport, MS 39502
Proximity to site: various locations
Comments: Numerous outdoor & indoor recreational opportunities throughout the local community, and surrounding areas. Plenty of camping opportunities available.

Military Related and Civic Organizations

Name: Veterans of Foreign Wars
POC: Post Commander
Address: Knapp Road
City: Ocean Springs, MS
Phone: (228) 872-2304
Proximity to site: 30 miles

Shopping

Name: Edgewater Mall
City: Biloxi, MS
Proximity to site: 20 MILES
Comments: Hours..... : 0900-2100 Mon-Sat, 1200-1800 Sun Major Stores..... : Dillards, Sears, J C Penney

Name: Gulfport Factory Shops (Outlet Mall)
POC: Main Office , (228) 867-6100
City: Gulfport, MS
Proximity to site: Hwy 49 & Interstate 10
Comments: Hours..... : 1000 - 2100 Mon - Sat There are numerous factory outlet stores located at the mall.

Name: Singing River Mall
POC: Main Office, (228) 497-6160
City: Gautier, MS
Proximity to site: 40 miles
Comments: Hours..... : 1000-2100 Mon-Sat Major Stores..... : McRAE'S, SEARS, J C PENNY

State and Community Social Service Agencies

Name: Department of Public Welfare
POC: Receptionist
Address: 2600 24th Street
City: Gulfport, MS 39501
Phone: (228) 864-1531
Comments: Hours..... : 0800-1700 Mon-Fri

Name: Harrison County Health Department
POC: Receptionist
Address: 15TH Street and Broad
City: Gulfport, MS 39501
Phone: (228) 863-1036
Comments: Hours..... : 0800-1700 Mon-Fri

Non-Profit Social Service Agencies

Name: American Cancer Society-Coast District
POC: Admin Office
Address: 182 (A) Debuys RD
City: Biloxi, MS
Phone: (228) 896-7024
Comments: Hours..... : 0800-1700

Name: United Way of South Mississippi
POC: Office Manager
Address: 9524 Creosote Rd.
City: Gulfport, MS 39505
Phone: (228) 863-4884

Religious Activities

Area Denominations

Denomination	Houses of Worship
Y Catholic	Y Baptist
Y Methodist	Y Jewish
Y	Y Muslim

Comments: Location and telephone numbers for the various religious activities can be found in the telephone directory.

Community Transportation

Name: Coast Area Transit Bus Service
POC: Main Office
Address: 333 Debuys Rd
City: Gulfport, MS 39501
Phone: (228) 896-8080
Proximity to site: 10 miles
Comments: Provides local bus service for the Gulfcoast area and to the base.

Name: Gulfport/Biloxi Regional Airport
POC: Airport Manager
Address: 14035 Airport RD
City: Gulfport, MS 39501
Phone: (228) 863-5951
Proximity to site: 6 MILES
Comments: Regional Airport

Name: Greyhound Bus Lines
POC: Ticket Office
Address: 2805 13TH St
City: Gulfport, MS 39501
Phone: (228) 863-1022
Proximity to site: 2 MILES
Comments: 24 hours service available

Name: AMTRAK
POC: Ticket Office
Address: Northwest corner of 14TH St and 27TH St.
City: Gulfport, MS 39501
Phone: (800)872-7245
Proximity to site: 4 MILES
Comments: limited service

Education

Education Overview

Name: Site Education Office
POC: KELLY SCHWARTZ
Address: BLDG. 60 Marvin Shields Blvd
Phone: (228)871-2785
Proximity to site: On base
Comments: Hours..... : 0700-1530 Mon-Fri

Public and DODDS Schools

There are currently no DODDS School on base. See the recording listings for all schools in this area.

Name: Gulfport Schools
POC: Admin Dept
Address: 2010 15TH St
City: Gulfport, MS 39501
Phone: (228) 865-4600
Proximity to site: 5 MILES
Comments: Number of Schools Elementary..... : 8 Middle schools..... : 2 High schools..... : 1

Name: Harrison County School
POC: Admin. Office
Address: 11072 HWY 49 P.O. BOX 1090
City: Gulfport, MS 39503
Phone: (228) 539-6500
Comments: Number of schools Elementary..... : 12 Middle schools..... : 4 High schools..... : 2

Name: Long Beach Schools
POC: Admin Office
Address: Commission Rd
City: Long Beach, MS 39560
Phone: (228) 864-1146
Comments: Number of schools Elementary..... : 3 Middle schools..... : 1 High schools..... : 1

Private Schools

Name: St. John Catholic Schools
POC: Admin Office
Address: 2415 17TH St
City: Gulfport, MS 39501
Phone: (228) 863-1606
Proximity to site: 6 MILES
Comments: Number of Private Schools in area Elementary..... : 7 Middle School..... : 7 High School..... : 2 Military Schools..... : 0

Colleges and Universities

Name: Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College
POC: Admin Office
Address: Debuys RD
City: Gulfport, MS 39501
Phone: (228) 896-3355
Proximity to site: 10 miles
Comments: Two year degree programs. Based upon hours. Extensive night courses available in several areas of study.

Name: University of Southern Mississippi
POC: Admin Office
Address: Gulf Park Campus
City: Long Beach, MS 39560
Phone: (228) 865-4500
Proximity to site: 5 miles
Tuition: approximately \$1500/yr
Comments: Four year institution. Campus located in Long Beach is a branch of USM. Main campus located in Hattiesburg, Ms. Primarily classes for junior and senior level. Extensive night courses available in several areas of study.

Name: William Carey College on the Coast
POC: Registrar
Address: 1856 Beach DR
City: Gulfport, MS 39501
Phone: (228) 865-1500
Proximity to site: 8 miles
Comments: Extensive night courses available in several areas of study.

Adult or Continuing Education

Name: Continuing Education Programs
POC: Gulfport School Districts
Address: 2010 15TH St
City: Gulfport, MS 39501
Phone: (228) 865-4600
Comments: Night classes provided twice a year. Schedule published in local newspaper and information is available on base.

Name: GED
POC: Gulfport School Districts
Address: 2010 15TH St
City: Gulfport, MS 39501
Phone: (228) 865-4600

Name: NAVY COLLEGE LEARNING CENTER
POC: BELINDA KENNEDY
Address: Morrell Building 1800 Dong Xoai Avenue
City: GULFPORT, MS 39501
Phone: (228)871-2508
Comments: THE NAVY COLLEGE LEARNING CENTER IS A FREE, COMPUTER-BASED, SELF-PACE EDUCATIONAL FACILITY. IT OFFERS INDIVIDUALIZED COURSE MATERIAL IN SUCH AREAS AS ENGLISH, MATHEMATICS, SCIENCE, AND SOCIAL STUDIES. IN ADDITION, FACILITATORS ARE AVAILABLE TO ANSWER QUESTIONS AND GIVE INSTRUCTION. THE PROGRAM IS OPEN TO ACTIVE-DUTY PERSONNEL, RETIREES, RESERVISTS, DEPENDENT FAMILY MEMBERS, AND CIVILIAN PERSONNEL

Name: NAVY COLLEGE LEARNING CENTER
POC: BELINDA KENNEDY
Address: BUILDING 317B 5200 CBC 2ND STREET
City: GULFPORT, MS 39501
Phone: (228)871-2508
Comments: THE NAVY COLLEGE LEARNING CENTER IS A FREE, COMPUTER-BASED, SELF-PACE EDUCATIONAL FACILITY. IT OFFERS INDIVIDUALIZED COURSE MATERIAL IN SUCH AREAS AS ENGLISH, MATHEMATICS, SCIENCE, AND SOCIAL STUDIES. IN ADDITION, FACILITATORS ARE AVAILABLE TO ANSWER QUESTIONS AND GIVE INSTRUCTION. THE PROGRAM IS OPEN TO ACTIVE-DUTY PERSONNEL, RETIREES, RESERVISTS, DEPENDENT FAMILY MEMBERS, AND CIVILIAN PERSONNEL

Special Education

Name: United Way
POC: Helpline
Address: P.O Box 8003
City: Gulfport, MS 39506
Phone: (228) 374-4357
Comments: The helpline will provide information and referral for special education needs.

Name: National Information Center
POC: Center for Children & Youth with Handicaps
Address: P O Box 1492
City: Washington, DC 20013
Phone: (800)999-5599
Comments: Agency can provide names of local institution with expertise in dealing with handicap children and youth.

Employment

Employment Overview

Employment opportunities are available in the following industries: tourism, casinos operation, retail stores and small businesses.

Temporary job placement agencies can assist in finding employment.

Check with the Family Service Center Spouse Employment Assistance Manager (SEAP) for up-to-date employment information.

Federal Civilian Employment for Spouses

Name: Spouse Employment
POC: Nathan Hawley
Address: Family Service Center
Phone: (228) 871-3000
FAX: (228) 871-2384
Proximity to site: on base
Comments: Can provide assistance in completing resumes and/or SF-171 applications.

Permanent Employment Resources

Name: Coast Unemployment Office
POC: Receptionist
Address: 2306 Pass RD
City: Biloxi, MS 39531
Phone: (228) 388-1212
Comments: Hours..... : 0800-1700 Mon-Fri For unemployment compensation.

Name: Mississippi State Employment Service
POC: Receptionist
Address: 22ND Ave & 22ND St
City: Gulfport, MS 39501
Phone: (228) 864-1771
Comments: Hours..... : 0800-1700 Mon-Wed & Fri, 0800-1600 Thu For employment opportunities, and for faster service call for appointment, but its not required. It's very helpful to have a RESUME.

Name: Spouse Employment Program
POC: Nathan Hawley
Address: Family Service Center
Phone: (228) 871-3000
FAX: (228) 871-2384
Proximity to site: on base

Temporary Employment Resources

Name: Multi-Temps
POC: Director
Address: 547 E. Pass Rd.
City: Gulfport, MS 39501
Phone: (228) 896-0085
Comments: Hours..... : 0800-1700 Mon-Fri By appointments only!

Name: Kelly Temporary Services
POC: Director
Address: 424 Security Square
City: Gulfport, MS 39501
Phone: (228) 896-1980
Comments: Hours..... : 0800-1700 Mon-Fri By appointments only!

Non-Paid or Volunteer Opportunities

Name: Base Volunteer Coordinator
POC: Maria L. Nichols
Address: Family Service Center
Phone: (228) 871-3000
FAX: (228) 871-2384
Proximity to site: on base

Chambers of Commerce

Name: Coast Chamber of Commerce
POC: Office of the Director
Address: 1401 20TH Ave
City: Gulfport, MS 39501
Phone: (228) 869-2942
Comments: Hours..... : 0800-1700 Mon-Fri

Private Sector Employment

Name: Ingalls Shipbuilding
POC: Personnel Office
Address: P O Box 149
City: Pascagoula, MS 39568-0149
Phone: (228) 935-3805
Proximity to site: About 45 miles from base.
Comments: Hours..... : 0800-1630 Mon-Fri

Name: Avondale Industries
POC: Personnel Office
Address: P O Box 2309
City: Gulfport, MS 39505-2309
Phone: (228) 896-8114
Comments: Hours..... : 0800-1630 Mon-Fri

Name: Memorial Hospital
POC: Personnel Office
Address: 4500 13th St
City: Gulfport, MS 39501
Phone: (228) 863-1441
Proximity to site: 1 mile
Comments: Hours..... : 0800-1630 Mon-Fri

Name: Mississippi Power Company
POC: Personnel Office
Address: 2992 West Beach Blvd
City: Gulfport, MS 39501-1907
Phone: (228) 864-1211
Comments: Hours..... : 0800-1600 Mon-Fri

Government Employment

Name: Human Resources Office
POC: Employment Specialist
Address: Bldg 1/ 5200 CBC 2ND ST
Phone: (228) 871-2301
Proximity to site: on base
Comments: Hours..... : 0700-1530 Mon-Fri Maintain list of civilian job openings.

Name: Navy Exchange
POC: Exchange Manager
Address: Bldg 365/2ND St
Phone: (228) 864-1514
Proximity to site: on base
Comments: Hours..... : 0800-1630 Mon-Fri Please call for appointment.

Name: Non-Appropriated Funds (NAF)
POC: MWR
Address: Bldg 60/Dong Xoai Ave
Phone: (228) 871-2538
Comments: Hours..... : 0700-1530 Mon-Fri

Professional or Occupational Licensing

Name: Practical Nurse
POC: Admin Office
Address: Suite 401, 239 North Lamar St
City: Jackson, MS 39205
Phone: (601) 395-3483
Comments: Hours..... : 0800-1700 Mon-Fri

Name: Registered Nurse
POC: Admin Office
Address: Suite 401, 239 North Lamar St
City: Jackson, MS 39205
Phone: (601) 395-3483
Comments: Hours..... : 0800-1700 Mon-Fri

Name: Teacher Certification
POC: Dept. of Education
Address: P O Box 771
City: Jackson, MS 39205
Phone: (601) 395-3483
Comments: Hours..... : 0800-1700 Mon-Fri

Name: Child Care
POC: Mississippi Health Department
City: Jackson, MS 39205
Phone: (601) 867-6236
Comments: Hours..... : 0800-1500 Information on off base licensing can be obtained by calling the Health Department. For information for providing child care service on base contact the Child Development Center.

Name: Home Business
POC: Lucy Betcher
Address: USM Long Beach - Small Business Office
Phone: (228) 865-4578
Comments: Hours..... : 0800-1630 Mon-Fri Periodic classes on starting your own business.

Name: Real Estate
POC: Gulf Coast Board of Realtors
Address: 141 Debuys Rd
City: Gulfport, MS
Phone: (228) 896-7103
Comments: Hours..... : 0900-1700 Can provide a listing of the major real estate agencies located on the coast.

Name: Cosmetology
POC: State Board of Cosmetology
Address: 1804-1808 N. State Street, P O Box 55689
City: Jackson, MS 39296
Phone: (601) 354-6623
Comments: Hours..... : 0800-1600 Mon-Fri

Name: Social Work
POC: Kae Covington
Address: P O Box 1700
City: Jackson, MS 39215-1700
Phone: (601) 353-8871
Comments: Hours..... : 0800-1700 Mon-Fri

Networking Opportunities

A large number of military retirees are located on the coast. Several organizations that have military members (active and retired) maintain local offices: RAO, NCOA, VFW, TROA, DAV.

Name: Retired Activities Office
POC: Capt. Ray USN (Ret)
Address: Bldg. 30
Phone: (228) 871-2647
Proximity to site: on base
Comments: Located in the Family Service Center.

Medical And Dental

Medical and Dental Overview

The Branch Medical and Dental clinic provides most routine services for Active Duty service members and their families. Major Medical care is provide by Keesler Medical Center located 15 miles from the Seabee base.

Medical Services/Directory - on Installation

<i>Clinic</i>	<i>POC</i>	<i>Number</i>
Branch Medical Clinic, Gulfport		(228) 871-2806
Central Appointments		(228) 871-2807/2808
Dental		(228) 871-2605
EFM Coordinator		(228) 871-2809/2810
Emergency		(228) 871-2444
Health Benefits Advisor		(228) 871-2821
Immunization		(228) 871-2807
Information		(228) 871-2809/2810
Intensive Care		(228) 377-6555
Ophthalmology		(228) 377-6555
Orthopedic		(228) 377-6555
Patient Admin		(228) 871-2806/2811
Patient Advocate		(228) 871-2806
Pediatrics		(228) 377-6555
Pharmacy (Hospital)		(228) 871-2599
Prescription refill call in		(228) 871-2814
Radiology		(228) 871-2807

Health Benefits Advisor, Wellness, and CHAMPUS/TRICARE Programs

Name: Champus/Tricare Office
POC: Debbie Sekul
Address: Bldg 295/Marvin Shields Blvd
Phone: (228) 871-2821
Comments: Hours..... : 0700-1530 Mon-Fri Please call for appointment.

Name: Dieting-Nutrition
POC: Branch Medical Clinic, Admin Office
Address: Bldg 295, 5500 Marvin Shields Blvd
Phone: (228) 871-2809
Comments: Hours..... : 0700-1530 Mon-Fri

Name: Smoking Cessation
POC: Jim Livingood
Address: Bldg. 30, Family Service Center
Phone: (228) 871-3000
FAX: (228) 871-2384
Proximity to site: on base
Comments: Call for more information at Family Service Center.

Community Hospitals

Name: Memorial Hospital Gulfport
POC: Admin Office
Address: 4500 13TH St
City: Gulfport, MS 39501
Phone: (228) 863-1441
Proximity to site: 2 1/2 Blocks out of front gate on BROAD AVE.

Name: V A Medical Center
Address: Pass RD
City: Biloxi, MS 39531
Phone: (228) 388-5541

Dental Services/Directory - on Installation

<i>Clinic</i>	<i>POC</i>	<i>Number</i>
Central Appointments	Naval Dental Center, Branch Clinic, Gulfport	(228) 871-2605
Director	Naval Dental Center, Branch Clinic, Gulfport	(228) 871-2605
Emergency	Naval Dental Center, Branch Clinic, Gulfport	(228) 871-2444
Endodontics..... :	Naval Dental Center, Branch Clinic, Gulfport	(228) 871-2605
Periodontics..... :	Naval Dental Center, Branch Clinic, Gulfport	(228) 871-2605

Family Member Dental Plan

Family members are covered under the Concordia Plan. Contact the Health Benefits Advisor for more information.

Housing

Housing Overview

Naval Construction Battalion Center has a total of 208 Housing Units available for enlisted. There are 84 units with 4 bedrooms, 16 units with 5 bedrooms, 80 units with 3 bedrooms and 28 units with 2

bedrooms. There is 1 unit for the Commanding Officer and 6 other officer housing units.

The Housing Welcome Center in Building 29 will give assistance to military members and their dependents in finding suitable and affordable housing

in the community. Because Gulfport has been designated as a Critical Housing Area (CHA), advance house hunting is encouraged. It may be necessary to find temporary housing while looking for a house to rent or buy.

Housing Allowances

Housing allowance information is available from the Per Diem, Travel and Transportation Allowance Committee's Web Site:	
Rates and Allowances Home Page	http://www.dtic.mil/perdiem/rateinfo.html
Basic Allowance for Housing	http://www.dtic.mil/perdiem/bah.html
Overseas Housing Allowance	http://www.dtic.mil/perdiem/aloooha.html

Government Housing

Name: Billetting Office
POC: BEQ/BOQ Manager
Address: Bldg. 309 /Bainbridge Ave.
Phone: (228) 871-2505
Proximity to site: on base
Comments: 2153 BEQ and 54 BOQ units on base.

Name: Housing Referral Office
POC: Housing Assistant
Address: Bldg.29, corner of 3rd and Blower
Phone: (228) 871-2586 or 800-414-0757
Proximity to site: on base
Comments:
Enlisted Housing
Category Bedrooms Units
Enlisted 4 84
Enlisted 5 16
3 80
2 28
Officer Housing
Category Bedrooms Units
Commanding Officer 4 1
Officer Quarters 3 6

Community Housing

Name: Housing Department
POC: Housing Assistant
Address: NCBC
City: Gulfport, MS
Phone: (228) 871-2586
Comments: Hours..... : 0700-1630
Listed below are the average rental and purchase cost of homes.
of Bedrooms Apt Rental(\$) Home Rental(\$)
1BR \$450 NA
2BR 530 \$600
3BR 650 750
4BR 900
Home Purchase
2BR \$90,000
3BR 105,810
4BR 181,000

Utilities

Avg. gas cost..... : \$40.00

Avg. electric cost 1bd/rm..... : 60.00
2bd/rm..... : 72.00 3bd/rm..... : 90.00

Name: BFI Sanitation
POC: Admin Office
City: Gulfport, MS 39501
Phone: (228) 392-5108
Comments: Hours..... : 0600-1800 Mon-Fri Rate-Cost..... : N/A Hook-up Fee..... : N/A Deposit..... : N/A Military Waiver of Deposit... : N/A Please contact BFI for more information. In the city limits your garbage service is activated when you apply for water and sewage service. Apartment Complexes have their own trash bins.

Name: Entex Natural Gas
POC: Admin Office
Address: 02019 E. Pass
City: Gulfport, MS 39501
Phone: (228) 896-7500
Comments: Hours..... : 0800-1700 Mon-Fri Rate-Cost..... : Varies Hook-up Fee..... : \$10.70 Go in person, allow one day for hookup. Deposit..... : \$75.00 Military Waiver of Deposit... : N/A

Name: Mississippi Power
POC: Customer Service
Address: 2933 13th Street
City: Gulfport, MS 39501
Phone: (228) 867-1188
Comments: Hours..... : 24 HOURS Rate-Cost..... : Average Hook-up Fee..... : \$20.00 Deposit..... : No deposit required if you have good credit. Military Waiver of Deposit... : N/A

Name: Coast Electric
POC: Admin Office
Address: 14089 Hwy 49
City: Gulfport, MS 39503
Phone: (800) 624-3348
Comments: Hook-up..... : \$20.00 service charge and a 5.00 membership fee, and a minimum \$25.00 connection charge. Deposit..... : \$70.00 Military Waiver of Deposit... : N/A Application are taken 24 HOURS A DAY over the telephone.

Name: Cable One/Post Newsweek Cable of Gulfport
Address: 3415 Hewes Ave
City: Gulfport, MS
Phone: (228) 864-1506
Comments: Hours..... : 0800-1700 Rate-Cost..... : Basic-\$23.00 Hook-up Fee..... : \$34.00 Deposit..... : Deposit for Cable Converter Box only. Military Waiver of Deposit... : N/A

Name: TCI Cable (Biloxi Area)
POC: Customer service
Address: 786 Washington Loop
City: Biloxi, MS 39530
Phone: (228) 374-5900
Comments: Hours..... : 0800-1600

Name: Coast TV Cable Inc. (Long Beach Area)
POC: Customer Service
Address: 19201 Pineville Rd.
City: Long Beach, MS 39560
Phone: (228) 864-4380
Comments: Hours..... : Mon/Tue 0800-1700, Wed - 0900-1700, Thu/Fri 0800-1700, Sat - 0900-1200 Please call for more detail.

Relocation Services

Relocation Assistance

Name: Relocation Assistance Counselor
POC: Mr. Jake Grant
Address: Bldg. 30(Family Service Center)
Phone: (228)871-3000, DSN 868-3000
Comments: Hours.....: 0700-1530 Mon-Fri Can provide you with all the information and services you need to know to make your move a "Smooth Move."

In Transit Emergencies

Call the Family Service Center toll free 1-800-342-3525 Mon- Fri 0700-1530 After-hours or weekends call CBC/20th Quarterdeck (228)871-2555/2182

Financial Preparedness

Name: Financial Counselor
POC: Pam Phillips
Address: Bldg. 30(Family Service Center)
Phone: (228)871-3000
Comments: Hours.....: 0700-1530 Mon-Fri Will provide assistance in all financial matters.

Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP)

Name: Branch Medical
POC: EFPM Coordinator
Address: Bldg 295, 5500 Marvin Shields Blvd
Phone: (228) 871-2821
Comments: Hours.....: 0700-1530 Mon-Fri For more information please contact the Medical Clinic.

Household Goods In-Bound Shipments

CBC Gulfport's personal property office takes care of all personnel assigned to CBC and its tenant

commands. We are a satellite office for Kessler Air Force Base (AFB).

Keesler AFB has an automated phone system that will give your status of your shipment, (228) 377-3212. If you are ready for delivery, go through the menu to speak to a representative. You need an address and contact phone number to request delivery of your household goods.

Incoming personnel can also contact the inbound clerk at Keesler AFB by calling (228) 377-9314/7811 between the hours of 0800 - 1600. If there is a problem reaching the inbound section, call the personal property office at CBC Gulfport (228)871-3000.

There are no weight restrictions on household goods at CBC Gulfport, aside from the member's entitlement.

Name: Judy Greene
POC: Bldg.30 (Fleet and Family Support Center)
Phone: (228) 871-3000
Comments: Hours.....: 0700-1530 Mon-Fri

Household Goods Out-Bound Shipments

Name: Personal Property Office
POC: Judy Greene
Address: Bldg.30(Family Service Center)
Phone: (228) 871-3000
Comments: Hours.....: 0700-1530 Mon-Fri

Household Goods Claims

Name: Navy Legal Detachment
POC: Deborah Adamo
Address: Bldg 30/5200 CBC 2nd St
Phone: (228) 871-3501
Comments: Hours.....: 0700-1530 Mon-Fri Claim forms can be obtained from Navy Legal office.

Household Goods Weight Allowances

Grade	Allowance w/Dependents	Allowance wo/Dependents
E1	5,000	1,500
E2	5,000	1,500
E3	5,000	2,000
E4	7,000	3,500
E5	9,000	7,000
E6	11,000	8,000
E7	12,500	10,500
E8	13,500	11,000
E9	14,500	12,000
W-1	12,000	10,000
W-2	13,500	12,500
W-3	14,500	13,000
W-4	17,000	14,000
O-1	12,000	10,000
O-2	13,500	12,500
O-3	14,500	13,000
O-4	17,000	14,000
O-5	17,500	16,000
O-6+	18,000	18,000

POV In-Bound Shipments

Name: New Orleans, LA - Vehicle Processing Center
POC: Receptionist
Address: 5481 Crowder Blvd
City: New Orleans,, LA
Phone: 800-721-9632
Comments: Hours..... : 0700-1500 Mon-Fri Call for appointment! Additional information & map available at Personal Property Office.

POV Out-Bound Shipments

Name: Personal Property-POV
POC: Judy Greene
Address: Bldg. 30 (Family Service Center)
Phone: (228) 871-3000
Comments: Hours..... : 0700-1500 Mon-Fri

POV Claims

Name: Navy Legal Office
POC: Claims Clerk
Address: Bldg 30/5200 CBC 2nd Street
Phone: (228) 871-2620
Comments: Hours..... : 0700-1530 Mon-Fri

Pet Boarding/Kennels

Consult the Relocation Assistance Manager for names and telephone numbers for kennels and pet boarding houses.

Name: Relocation Assistance Counselor
POC: Mr. Jake Grant
Address: Bldg. 30 (Family Service Center)
Phone: (228) 871-3000
FAX: (228) 871-2384

Pet Licensing

There is a leash law, however no license is required. Owner must have a health certificate for their pets.

Pets in on base Housing: 2 pets (dog/cat) or combination, 2 cats, 2 dogs or 1 cat and 1 dog. No exotic pets allowed (snakes,farm animals, ferrets,

etc.) No pit bulls permitted. Registration is within 5 days after initial occupancy and annually at the Housing Office. Resident must show proof of vaccination (rabies).

Pet Quarantines

All pets coming from over seas are required by FEDERAL LAW to under go quarantine. Contact the local VET for the length of time required and what shots are required before being released to owner.

Veterinary Services

Name: Site Veterinarian
POC: Keesler Air Force Base
Address: Bldg 0408
City: Biloxi, MS
Phone: (228) 377-6883
Comments: Hours..... : 0700-1530 Tue & Thu only

Pet Transportation

Pet transportation can be arranged on an as need basis through the Information Referral Specialist at the Family Service Center.

PCS Reporting Procedures

Name: IN-PROCESSING
POC: Personnel Support Detachment
Address: Bldg 118/Marvin Shields Blvd
Phone: (228) 871-2327
Comments: Hours..... : 0700-1530 Mon-Fri After hours CBC Quarterdeck is located in the Security building at the main gate.

Separation Procedures

Name: OUT-PROCESSING
POC: Personnel Support Detachment
Address: Bldg. 118/Marvin Shields Blvd.
Phone: (228) 871-2789
Comments: Hours..... : 0700-1530 Mon-Fri

Billeting

Name: BILLETING OFFICE
POC: BEQ/BOQ Manager
Address: Bldg 309/Bainbridge
Phone: (228) 871-2505
Comments: Hours..... : 24 Hours Free continental breakfast on pay rooms only.

Name: NAVY Lodge
POC: Customer Service
Phone: (800)628-9466
Comments: Hours..... : 24 Hours

Name: Travel Office-Commercial Travel Office
POC: SATO
Address: Bldg 118/Marvin Shields Blvd
Phone: (228) 864-9219
Comments: Hours..... : 0700-1530 Mon-Fri

Unaccompanied PCS

All in-coming personnel contact the billeting office for room assignments (228) 871-2505.

Support Services

Family Centers

Name: Family Advocacy
POC: Dr. Ron Graham
Phone: (228) 871-2581

Name: Family Counseling
POC: Jim Livingood
Phone: (228) 871-2581

Name: Family Readiness
POC: Paula Ingram
Phone: (228) 871-2581

Name: Financial Programs
POC: Pam Phillips
Phone: (228) 871-3000

Name: Information and Referral
POC: Jake Grant
Phone: (228) 871-3000

Name: Program Coordinator
POC: Maria Nichols
Phone: (228) 871-3000

Name: Relocation Assistance
POC: Jake Grant
Phone: (228) 871-3000

Name: Spouse Employment
POC: Nathan Hawley
Phone: (228) 871-3000

Name: Transition Assistance
POC: Nathan Hawley
Phone: (228) 871-3000
Comments: CBC Transition Assistance Program (TAP) Workshops for pre-retirement and pre-separation are conducted monthly.

Information and Referral

Name: Civilian Employee Assistance Program
POC: Director of Counseling
Address: Fleet and Family Support Center
Phone: (228) 871-2581
Comments: Hours..... : 0700-1530 Mon-Fri

Name: Suicide Prevention
POC: Paula Ingram
Address: Fleet and Family Support Center
Phone: (228) 871-2581
Comments: Hours..... : 0700-1530 Mon-Fri

Financial Assistance Programs

"On Track," A program that will help you evaluate how well you are managing your finances and provides some techniques and methods for effective financial management.

Individual assistance provided by financial counselor.

Emergency Assistance

Name: American Red Cross
POC: CBC Station
Address: Bldg. 30 (Family Service Center)
City: Gulfport, MS
Phone: (228) 871-2483
Comments: Keesler AFB (Biloxi, Ms.) Telephone.....: (228) 377-3030 After hours.....: (228) 377-1110

Family Advocacy

Name: Family Advocacy Representative
POC: Dr. Ron Graham
Address: Family Service Center
Phone: (228) 871-2581
Comments: Hours..... : 0700-1530 Mon-Fri

Single Member Services

Name: Marriage Skills
POC: Command Chaplain
Address: Bldg 366/5TH St
Phone: (228) 871-2454
Comments: Hours..... : 0700-1530 Offered quarterly.

Support Groups

Name: Alcoholics Anonymous
POC: Gulf Coast Group
Address: 2518 24TH St
City: Gulfport, MS 39501
Phone: (228) 871-2256

Name: Over Eater's Anonymous
POC: Gulf Oaks Hospital
Address: 180 Debuys RD
City: Biloxi, MS 39530
Phone: (228) 388-0600

Name: Parents of ADD/ADHD
POC: Dr. Ron Graham
Address: Bldg. 30/Family Service Center
Phone: (228) 871-2581
FAX: (228) 871-2384
Comments: ADD(Attention Deficit Disorder)/ADHD (Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder)

Name: Steps to Effective Parenting
POC: Paula Ingram
Address: Family Service Center
Phone: (228) 871-2581
Comments: Hours..... : 0700-1530 Mon-Fri

Morale, Welfare, and Recreation

Name: Auto Crafts/Outdoor Rental
POC: Greg Stewart
Address: Bldg 397/5TH St
Phone: (228) 871-2804
Comments: Hours..... : 1100-2000 Tue-Fri, 0900-1600 Sat

Name: Bowling Center
POC: Frank Yanok
Address: Bldg 174/2ND St
Phone: (228) 871-2739
Comments: Hours..... : 1500-2000 Tue-Thu, 1100-2300 Fri/Sat 1400-2100 Sun

Name: Community Center
POC: Michelle Schaffer
Address: Bldg 335/Bainbridge St
Phone: (228) 871-2251
Comments: Hours..... : 1600-2000 Mon-Thu, 1600-2100 Fri 1400-2100 Sat, 1400-1800 Sun

Name: Community Swim Pool
POC: Michelle Schafer
Address: Bldg 338/Shields Park
Phone: (228) 871-2251
Comments: Hours..... : May-September Seasonal passes and Swimming Lessons available

Name: Crafttech
POC: Frank Yanok
Address: Bldg 393
Phone: (228) 871-2560
Comments: Hours..... : Closed Sun & Mon, Tue-Thu 1100-1900 Fri 0900-1700, Sat 0900-1600

Name: Eagles & Anchors
POC: Frank Yanok
Address: Bldg 303/2ND St
Phone: (228) 871-2739
Comments: Hours..... : 1500-UNTIL Tue-Fri Officers & Chief Petty Officers Club.

Name: Golf Course
POC: Pat McCann
Address: Bldg 284/Colby Ave
Phone: (228) 871-2494
Comments: Hours..... : 0800-1730 Mon-Fri, 0700-1730 Sat/Sun

Name: Gymnasium/Sports
POC: Michelle Schafer
Address: Bldg 361/5TH St
Phone: (228) 871-2668
Comments: Hours..... : 0600-2100 Mon-Fri, 0900-2100 Sat/Sun

Name: Library
POC: Librarian
Address: Bldg 59
Phone: (228) 871-2409
Comments: Hours..... : 1100-1900 Mon-Fr

Name: MWR Office
POC: Director
Address: Bldg 60/Dong Xoai Ave
Phone: (228) 871-2358
Comments: Hours..... : 0700-1530 Mon-Fri MWR Job Hotline (228)871-2119

Name: Reservation Parks/Lake
POC: Pat McCann
Address: West end of base/Holloway Dr.
Phone: (228) 871-2231
Comments: Hours..... : Sunrise-2200

Name: Stingers Enlisted Club
POC: Frank Yanok
Address: Bldg 342/Bainbridge
Phone: (228) 871-2330/
Comments: Hours..... : 1530-2300 Tue-Thu, 1500-0200 Fri/Sat 1800-2300 Mon Allhands Club.

Chapel Services and Programs

Name: Catholic Mass
POC: Command Chaplain
Address: Bldg 366/5TH St
Phone: (228) 871-2454
Comments: Hours..... : 1130 Tue-Thu, 1730-Sat, 0930, 1800-Sun, 1130 and 1730 Holy Days

Name: Chapel Youth Group
POC: Receptionist
Address: Bldg. 366/5th St.
Phone: (228) 871-2454
Comments: Hours..... : Tues, Thurs Mornings

Name: Jewish Service
POC: Command Chaplain
Address: 5000 Camellia
City: Biloxi, MS 39507
Phone: (228) 388-5574 /432-5553
Comments: Hours..... : 2000 Friday

Name: Protestant Service
POC: Command Chaplain
Address: Bldg 366/5TH St
Phone: (228) 871-2454
Comments: Hours..... : 1100 Sun

Name: Religious, Marital, Pre-marital Counseling
POC: Command Chaplain
Address: Bldg 366/5TH St
Phone: (228) 871-2454/2925
Comments: Hours..... : 0700-1530 Mon-Fri

Drug and Alcohol

Name: Counseling and Assistance Center (CAAC)
POC: Program Coordinator
Address: Bldg 45/5051 Marvin Shields Blvd
Phone: (228) 871-2256
Comments: Hours..... : 0700-1530 Mon-Fri

Legal Assistance

Name: Legal Officer
POC: Officer in Charge
Address: Bldg. 30 (Family Service Center)
Phone: (228) 871-2620
Comments: Hours..... : 0700-1530 Mon-Fri

Child And Teen Services

Child and Teen Services Overview

All child development services and programs are sponsored by the Child Development Center.

Youth and teens programs are provided by the Morale, Welfare and Recreation Department and the Family Service Center.

New Parent Program

Provided on an individual basis.

Child Care Programs - on Installation

Name: Child Development Center
POC: Jill Paradise
Address: Bldg. 31/Snead Street St.
Phone: (228) 871-2323
Comments: Hours..... : 0600-1730 Mon-Fri Program Offered Full Day Part Day - Preschool Part Day - School Age Hourly Care Special Needs Care - proper information required, approval required for After/Before school programs on installation. All fees are according to family income, must provide current Leave and Earning statement/payroll data. Total Family Income \$0 - 23,000.....\$52.00 \$23,001 - 34,000.....\$62.00 \$34,001 - 44,000.....\$74.00 \$44,001 - 55,000.....\$83.00 \$55,001 - 69,999.....\$94.00 \$70,000 - +\$104.00 Fees includes lunch and programming. There is a \$5 discount for more than one child. Also, there is a fee of \$3.00 per hour per child for drop-ins (as space is available). LATE FEES (AFTER 1730) ASSESSED AT \$25.00 PER CHILD PER 30 MINUTES. PAY HOURLY FEES ON THE DATE SERVICE IS PROVIDED. A waiting list exists for all age groups, please call in advance of arrival.

Name: Child Development Homes
POC: Jill Paradise
Address: Bldg. 31/Snead Street St
Phone: (228) 871-2323
Comments: Hours..... : 0600-1730 Mon-Fri Program for individuals living in quarters to be certified for child care in the home. =====

Name: Youth Activity Center
POC: Kim Reed
Address: Bldg. 335/Bainbridge St.
Phone: (228) 871-2251
Comments: Hours..... : 1600-2000 Mon-Thu, 1600-2100 Fri 1400-2100 Sat/1400-1800 Sun After school program provided by the youth center staff. Summer day camp 10 weeks June- August.

Child Care Programs - Community

Name: Community Resource Information
POC: Jill Paradise
Address: Bldg. 31/Snead Street St.
Phone: (228) 871-2323
Comments: Information about child care services available in the local community.

Things To Do - Clubs and Social

Contact Jake Grant, Information and Referral specialist, for ongoing clubs and schedule of events.

Things To Do - Recreation and Sports

Recreational events are scheduled by the Youth Activities Center on a monthly basis.

Activities: Teen Activities Crafts Lock-ins Games

After School Programs: Supervised Recreational Programs Afternoon snacks Projects Games Summer & Vacation Full Day Camps

Schools

Refer to the "Education" section for area school listings

School Age Care

See information above

Religious Programs

See information under "Chapel Services."

Special Events

See information in "Things to do..." section

Sponsorship and Support

The Relocation Specialist will provide relocation information and assistance to "Kids on the Move."

Contact Jake Grant, at (228) 871-3000

Youth Employment

Family members are welcome in the Family Service Center for assistance with resume writing, interviewing skills, and job search.

Youth Centers

See information under Information and Referral Specialist

For Teens Only

See information under Information and Referral Specialist.

Survival Tips For First Termers

Survival Tips for First Termers Overview

Being in the Navy is an opportunity and a proud tradition of more than 200 years of service. It is also a challenge as single and married Navy and Marine Corps members juggle their military duties, personal and financial obligations, and the demands of an immediate or extended family.

Navy personnel and their families are envied for the variety of their experiences and the number of places they travel and live. To make this attractive, mobile life possible, a great amount of planning and preparation is necessary.

Listed below are some "Survival Tips" to help you and your family as you face the challenges and opportunities of the Mobile Military Lifestyle.

Before You Move

Departure preparations:

As soon as you receive your orders, visit your Family Service Center Relocation Counselor. They have an extensive array of services and resources available for you including a SITES (Standard Installation Topic Exchange Service) booklet on your new duty station, information and classes on planning a move, Welcome Aboard Packages, videos of your new area (if available), overseas orientations, lending closets, etc.

Contact the Household Goods Office for an appointment with a counselor to schedule your household goods move. During your counseling sessions your counselor will provide a great deal of valuable information. Pay attention to details, take notes, ask questions, and follow directions. Failure to adhere to guidelines can be costly in time and money.

Notify your landlord, rental agent or Housing Office of your Permanent Change of Station (PCS) orders and anticipated date of departure. If there is a military clause in your lease, you must give this notification in writing.

Request a sponsor at your new duty station. This person can be your vital link to your new home. Your sponsor can send you specific information on your new location and assist you when you arrive.

Begin a calendar for your move. Include items to remember: change of address cards (get from Post Office), school records for your children, travel arrangements for your pets, etc.

Notify your friends, relatives, etc., of your upcoming move.

Start budgeting for the move. Contact your Finance Office or PSD to discuss your options regarding advance pay and travel funds. Even with your entitlements, special pay, allotments, etc., moving can be expensive. In addition, families facing the loss of one income during the relocation will feel additional financial impact.

This is by no means everything you'll have to remember! Check with your Relocation Counselor at your Family Service Center. If they are doing a

Smooth Move class, sign up! They can provide you with complete checklists and many helpful publications to assist you with remembering all the details.

After You Arrive

Contact your Relocation Counselor! They have all the information you'll need once you arrive at your new duty station. Contact the Housing Office BEFORE making any arrangements for civilian housing. Rental/lease agreements are extremely important and are sometimes complicated. If you haven't already done so, now is the time to put your name on the waiting list for base housing.

Notify the Personal Property Office of your new address and to check on the status of your household goods. Have they arrived? Are they in storage? How much storage time am I entitled to? How do I file a claim if there is damage? All important questions to ask now that you've arrived.

Once you've found the perfect home and your worldly possessions have arrived, the job of getting acquainted with your new neighborhood begins.

Contact utility companies to make arrangements for connections.

On moving-in day, if you have small children, you might want to make arrangements for child care. Older children might want to help by checking off boxes as they come in or unpacking the special box of their belongings.

Be at your home before the movers arrive. Have an idea of where you want things placed...the movers will only put your couch in one place.

Check your belongings carefully and make sure to note on the inventory any damaged or missing items so you can file a claim at the Personal Property Office.

So many things to remember! You will find that services and procedures vary from base to base. When getting acquainted with your new base, be sure to find out:

- on base speed limits
- location of medical facility and procedures or emergency and walk-in care
- check cashing limits, procedures and hours of operation of the exchange and commissary
- and order new checks with your new address

Most importantly, remember help is just a phone call away. When in doubt, ask. Call your Relocation Counselor at any time. If they don't know the answer, they will find out.

Reporting Procedures

See "Installation Overview" section for getting to CBC, Gulfport. If you get lost or need assistance, call the Quarterdeck at (228)871-2555.

Travel Planning

Make your move an adventure. Some stress can be alleviated by beginning arrangements as soon as possible. Here are a few tips: If the move includes a car ride, get your pet used to being in a moving car. A pet who's never been in a moving vehicle probably feels like you do during a violent earthquake. Over a period of months, take your pet for several short drives. Cats should always ride in a carrier.

If you are traveling with pets, make sure the hotels you will be staying in accept pets on the premises. Keep in mind some hotels charge a fee for allowing pets to stay.

If you are flying with pets, find out from the particular airline about regulations governing your pet's flight. You may need to book 30 days in advance. In scheduling, avoid switching planes or lengthy layovers so as to minimize the amount of handling and stress your pet must undergo.

Plan ahead for car or plane trips. Let your children assemble a shoe box or backpack of personal treasures to handcarry during travel. A small pillow and stuffed animal can make long trips more comfortable.

Don't forget to bring cassette tapes of children's music and stories.

Don't overdo driving. Make frequent stops for gas, snacks, meals and anything resembling a playground.

Avoid tension during mealtime. Eat at a variety of places. While local cuisine is tempting to older family members, the your set will appreciate the efficiency and familiarity of fast food. Impromptu picnics of sandwiches, fruit and drinks can be eaten at roadside tables or under a shady tree.

Vehicle Ownership

Because different states have different insurance laws your insurance company will need to know where and when you are moving. In addition to automobile insurance, attention must be given to driver's licenses and auto registration. To avoid penalties, make sure all autos are properly inspected and registered and that all family members are properly licensed.

Housing and Billeting

Navy and Marine Corps are required to report to the Housing Referral Office at their new duty station upon arriving and before buying or leasing a home or apartment. The Housing Referral Office receives applications and maintains the waiting list for base housing. If you are applying for base housing, send an advanced housing application to HRO with a copy of your Page 2 and a copy of your orders and you will be placed on a waiting list.

The Housing Referral Office can assist you in locating off base housing and will provide information on the local community. The HRO maintains a computer based listing of local housing...costs, deposits, pet info, location of nearby schools, etc.

If base housing is unavailable, or if you choose to live in the civilian community, you and your family are entitled to receive Basic Allowance for Housing(BAH) to help you pay for housing. Make sure that if a lease is required, you have a "military clause" which will allow you to end the lease early without financial penalties if:

--You receive Permanent Change of Station (PCS) orders --You are notified that on-base housing is available --You leave active duty

Not all military clauses will protect you, especially if you are waiting for on-base housing. Be sure to check with legal or Housing Referral Office BEFORE you sign a lease for housing in town. It could save you lots of time and money in the long run!!!

In addition to the military clause, also make sure that your lease or rental agreement states clearly who pays for what utilities and what repairs. Then, if you decide that the agreement is satisfactory, walk through the apartment or house with the landlord, and make a list of any existing damage to the property. Have the landlord sign the list, and make a copy of it to keep with your copy of the lease.

Finally, pay your rent on time, and leave the property in as good condition as you found it to create good will for future service member tenants.

Money Matters

The costs associated with PCS orders can be debilitating for even the most solid budget. Though there are reimbursements for costs associated with PCS moves, research demonstrates the average military family reports out of pocket expenses of over \$500.00 and that only one out of every three dollars is reimbursed. Listed below are some of the PCS moving allowances you can plan on to help you budget for your move.

DISLOCATION ALLOWANCE (DLA): Active duty personnel with family member moving from a permanent duty station are entitled to a dislocation allowance. This is paid to offset the costs of closing on home and setting up another. This allowance is equal to two months BAH. DLA is not available to those transferring in the same geographical location. DLA may be dispersed at the time of travel, or upon arrival at the gaining command.

MILEAGE IN LIEU OF TRANSPORTATION (MALT): Service members receive a MALT when they drive to a new assignment. The allowance is computed on federal tables of mileage between the old and new duty stations. Even though the official distance may be longer or shorter than the service member drives, the official distance determines the allowance payable. MALT is also paid to those going overseas if they drive from their stateside location to the port of embarkation for transcontinental plans or ship, or from the port of debarkation to the new duty station.

Single active duty or spouse traveling alone - .15 per mileTwo family members - .17 per mileThree family members - .19 per mileFour or more family members - .20 per mile

These rates apply to spouses authorized to travel alone or with family members, and to sponsors traveling with family members. These rates also apply to travel in a second car when its use is authorized. MALT will be dispersed at the time of travel.

PER DIEM ALLOWANCE: Along with DLA and MALT, food and lodging are allotted when making a PCS move. The allowance is paid at a rate of 350 miles per day. Service members receive \$50.00 a day

plus \$37.50 a day for their spouse and each family member under the age of twelve. When a spouse travels separately, the spouse receives \$50.00 a day; and for family members traveling with the spouse it is \$37.50 a day or \$25.00 a day, depending on the age.

TEMPORARY LODGING EXPENSE ALLOWANCE (TLE): New arrivals at overseas bases are eligible for this allowance to help offset the cost of temporary housing and meals. You are entitled to TLA even if you move into temporary government quarters. The amount of TLA depends on several factors, including family size, local per diem rate, actual cost of quarters and whether the quarters provide cooking or dining facilities. A single person gets 65% of the local per diem rate if actual expenses are that much, and a member with one or two family members get 400% of the local per diem rate if expenses warrant. For each additional family member the per diem rate is raised by 25%. TLA is paid in fifteen day increments, and usually up to a sixty day limit for those arriving and a ten day limit for those departing overseas.

ADVANCED PAY: *****Drawing advance pay should be CAREFULLY considered when planning a

move. As soon as you get your orders, a spending plan should be developed early enough to save extra money to be used to assist with the moving expenses. Many times advance pay is spent on other "emergencies" and is not around to assist with moving expenses. In addition, advance pay is a "dead horse" that automatically reduces your take home pay to use for bills and unforeseen moving expenses. Talk to your Command Financial Specialist prior to drawing advance pay.*****

No more than three months advance pay may be drawn. The advance is normally repaid in equal installments over twelve months. In certain cases, repayment can be spread over 24 months. Advance pay is your base pay, not pay with allowances. If approved by your commanding officer, an advanced housing allowance can be drawn. You must prove that this money will be used housing costs. Advance housing allowance is up to three months BAQ and VHA. Advance housing allowance may be re-paid over a 12 month period, and in exceptional circumstances, may be re-paid over a longer period. REMEMBER, ALL ADVANCED PAY IS TO BE RE-PAID.

At A Glance

Facility/Services Summary

--Officer and Enlisted Population--			
Active Duty Officer	199	Active Duty Warrant Officer	0
Guard Reserve Officer	31	Guard Reserve Warrant Officer	0
Retired (Officer and Enlisted)	6400	Foreign Service Officers	0
Active Duty Enlisted	4031	Guard Reserve Enlisted	233
Foreign Service Enlisted	0		
--Civilians--			
Civil Service	780	Wage Grade	360
Non-Appropriated Funds	250	Family Members -on and off Installation-	2560
--Family Services--			
Family Centers	1	Teen Centers	1
Child Day Care	1	Family Child Care Certified Homes	13
Total Child Capacity	256	Total Child Capacity	25
Average Waiting List Time -Months-	3		
--Other Services--			
Commissary	1	Exchanges	1
Shoppettes	1	Gas Stations	1
Movie Theaters	1	Banks and Credit Unions	2
McDonalds/Burger King	1	Other i.e. Exchange concessionaires	0

Housing Summary

<i>--Officer Housing--</i>			
Senior Officer Waiting		Senior Officer 3 Bed Room	6
Senior Officer 4 Bed Room	1	Senior Officer Other	0
Company Grade Officer Waiting	12	Company Grade Officer 2 Bed Room	0
Company Grade Officer 3 Bed Room	6	Company Grade Officer 4 Bed Room	0
Company Grade Officer Other	0	BOQ	1
<i>--Enlisted Housing--</i>			
Senior Enlisted Waiting		Senior Enlisted 3 Bed Room	0
Senior Enlisted 4 Bed Room	84	Senior Enlisted Other	0
Enlisted Waiting		Enlisted 2 Bed Room	28
Enlisted 3 Bed Room	80	Enlisted Other	16
BEQ	1	Transient Lodging Facilities	1

Education Summary

<i>Name</i>	<i>Numbers</i>
Elementary School	6
Jr High/Middle School	3
High School	2

Local Community Summary

<i>Type of Housing</i>	<i>Avg.</i>	<i>Low</i>	<i>High</i>
Apartment Rent	650	450	850
House Rent	750	550	1200
House Price - Single Family	105000	90000	181000
Townhouse/Condominium Price	85000	56000	140000

Medical and Dental Summary

--Medical Facilities--					
Medical Treatment Facilities	N	Number of Beds	0	Medical Clinic	1
Alcohol	Y	Allergy	Y	Audiology	Y
Cardiology	Y	Coronary care	Y	Dermatology	Y
Dietary	Y	Emergency room	Y	Endocrinology	Y
Family Practice	Y	General surgery	Y	Gynecology	Y
HIV Unit	Y	Hematology	Y	Immunization	Y
Infect Disease	Y	Intensive Care	Y	Laboratory	Y
Mental Health	Y	Neonatal Intensive Care Unit	Y	Nuclear Medicine	Y
Nephrology	Y	Neurology	Y	Neurosurgery	Y
Obstetrics	Y	Oncology	Y	Ophthalmology	Y
Optometry	Y	Orthopedics	Y	Otolaryngology	Y
Pathology	Y	Pediatrics	Y	Physical Therapy	Y
Podiatry	Y	Primary Care	Y	Radiology	Y
Rheumatology	Y	Urology	Y		
--Dental Facilities--					
Dental Clinics	1	Adolescent	N	Endodontics	Y
General Dentistry	Y	Oral Surgery	Y	Orthodontics	Y
Pedodontist	Y	Periodontics	Y		

Relocation and Support Services Summary

--Military Clubs--			
Officers Club	0	Non-Commissioned Officers Club	1
Enlisted Club	0		
--Recreation--			
Arts and Crafts	1	Automobile Hobby Centers	1
Bowling Centers	1	Recreational Centers	1
Libraries	1	Music and Theater Locations	0
--Physical Fitness/Sports--			
9 Hole Golf Courses	0	18 Hole Golf Courses	1
Gyms/Physical Fitness Centers	1	Jogging Paths	2
Tennis Clubs/Courts	1	Tennis Courts - Lighted	0
Swimming Pools - Public	1		
--Nature/Outdoor Activities--			
Outdoor Recreation Centers	0	Campgrounds	0
Fishing Areas	1	Horse Stables	0

APPENDIX

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